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DATE: \$\frac{9}{2006} \text{September 2006 (0 \frac{9}{200})} U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED: NO.: PCT/EP2005/002579 11 March 2005 (11.03.2005) 11 March 2004 (11.03.2004) DE TITLE OF INVENTION: ENGINE AUXILIARY DRIVE FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE WITH A TOOTHED-**GEAR DRIVE** APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US: OBERLE, Stephan; FRIEDRICH, Christian Applicant hereby submits to the Unites States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. X 2. \_\_ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The submission must include items(5), (6), (9) 3. <u>X</u> and (21) indicated below. The US has been elected (Article 31). 4. <u>X</u> A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)): 5. <u>X</u> is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). has been communicated by the International Bureau. is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US) A English translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2). 6. <u>X</u> Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)) 7. <u>X</u> are attached hereto (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. have not been made and will not be made. 8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. \_\_\_ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)). ITEMS 11 to 20 BELOW CONCERN OTHER DOCUMENT(S) OR INFORMATION INCLUDED: An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. 11. \_\_\_\_ 12.\_\_\_\_ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. A FIRST preliminary amendment. 13. X A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment A substitute specification. A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter2 and 35 USC 1821 - 1825 A second copy of the published international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4) A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 USC 154(d)(4) 20. X Other items or information: TRANSMITTAL FORM WITH FEE CALCULATION; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION WO 2005/088168 A1 WITH SEARCH REPORT; INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATION DATE: 22 SEPTEMBER 2005 (22.09.2005), WITH CERTIFIED ENGLISH TRANSLATION WHICH CONSISTS OF 19 PAGES INCLUDING: 1 PAGE CERTIFICATE OF ACCURACY, 12 PAGES TEXTUAL SPECIFICATION, 3 PAGES OF 15 CLAIMS, 3 SHEETS DRAWINGS; PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT WITH ATTACHMENT A TO BE EXAMINED; UNEXECUTED INVENTOR'S DECLARATION; PCT/IB/332 INFORMATION CONCERNING ELECTED OFFICES NOTIFIED OF THEIR ELECTION; PCT/IB/301 NOTIFICATION OF RECEIPT OF RECORD COPY.

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  - 1 page Certificate of Accuracy,
  - 12 pages Textual Specification,
    - 3 pages of 15 Claims,
    - 3 sheets of Drawings;
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